

Code No. 012-28521 (20 µL)

018-28523 (100 µL)

**Anti Iba1, Rabbit Monoclonal Antibody (6A4), recombinant**

Code No.	Product name	Pkg. size	Storage
012-28521	Anti Iba1, Rabbit Monoclonal Antibody (6A4), recombinant	20 µL	-20°C
018-28523		100 µL	

**Product Summary**

Reactivity	Mouse, rat (not studied in other species)
Clonality	Monoclonal (Clone No. 6A4)
Host	Rabbit
Conjugate	Unconjugated
Concentration	Described on the label

**Product Details**

Source	CHO-Spica cell derived antibody
Immunogen	Synthetic peptide corresponding to the C-terminus of Iba1
Purity	Protein A affinity chromatography
Isotype	IgG
Form	Liquid
Preservative	0.05% Sodium azide
Buffer	PBS with 50% glycerol

**Application**

Immunohistochemistry (frozen section) 1:200 - 10,000

\* The optimal dilutions/concentrations should be determined by each laboratory.

## Recommend Protocol

### **Step 1. Tissue preparation**

1. The animal (mouse or rat) should be fixed by perfusing with 4% paraformaldehyde-PBS under the deep anesthesia.
2. After dissection the tissue, sink the tissue in 4% paraformaldehyde-PBS for post-fixation, following to 30% sucrose/ 4% paraformaldehyde-PBS, respectively.  
\*Sink the tissue until falling-down on the bottom of tube.
3. Mount the tissue with sectioning compound and freeze it completely.
4. Prepare a 20-50  $\mu\text{m}$  thick of frozen section using the cryostat and mount the slice on the pre-coated slide glass for IHC.

### **Step 2. Blocking and Permeabilization**

1. Rinse the section several times with PBS for removing the sectioning compound.
2. Block the section by Blocking solution (1% animal serum, 2% BSA and 0.3% TritonX-100 in PBS) for 2 hours at room temperature.

### **Step 3. Antibody staining**

1. Incubate the section with primary antibody solution (Anti Iba1, Rabbit Monoclonal Antibody (6A4), recombinant, 1000 times dilution in Blocking solution) at 4°C over night.
2. Wash the section three times with 0.3% TritonX-100 in PBS for 5 min.
3. Incubate the section with secondary antibody solution (i.e. fluorescent dye-conjugated anti-rabbit IgG, appropriatedilution in Blocking solution) for 2 hours RT.
4. Wash the section three times with 0.3% TritonX-100 in PBS for 5 min.

### **Optional: Double or nuclear staining**

#### (a) Double staining

- Prepare the different primary and secondary antibodies than those used in “Step 3” and repeat “Step 3”.

\*You must prepare a source of primary antibody that is different from the one used in “Antibody staining”.

#### (b) Nuclear stain

- Prepare DNA binding dye such as DAPI (i.e. code No. 342-07431). The staining protocol follows instruction manual of each dye.

**Step 4. Mounting and Detection**

1. Rinse the section with ddH<sub>2</sub>O quickly, and snap-off the slide.
2. Absorb remaining ddH<sub>2</sub>O with paper and drop anti-fade mounting medium, then place a coverslip on the section.
3. Observe the section image by fluorescent microscopy or confocal microscopy with appropriate filter set.